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SUBJECT: 62ND UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY: GOVERNMENT OF TURKMENISTAN'S HIGH-LEVEL ATTENDANCE

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On July 24, Embassy passed the MFA reftel request for the names of any high-level officials of the Government of Turkmenistan planning to attend the 62nd UN General Assembly. The Charge d'Affaires, Ambassador Hoagland orally raised the same request with Deputy Chairman of the Council of Ministers/Foreign Minister Rashit Meredov on July 27. Meredov replied Turkmenistan will not decide on its delegation until mid-August, at the earliest. We will report further information as it becomes known.

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